IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MARYLAND

Choice Hotels International, Inc.,

Case No. 8:23cv0558

Plaintiff,

v.

**ORDER** 

Carolina Sun Hospitality Services, LLC,

Defendants.

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The court having reviewed the Complaint for Confessed Judgment (ECF No. 1), the

Settlement and Release Agreement (ECF No. 1-1), the Promissory Note (ECF No. 1-2), the

Affidavit in Support of the Complaint (ECF No. 1-3), and related papers, finds that the

aforementioned papers establish a prima facie case that (1) Defendants knowingly, intelligently,

and voluntarily waived the right to notice and a prejudgment hearing on the merits of Plaintiff

Choice Hotels Inc.'s claim for damages; and (2) Plaintiff has a meritorious claim for the requested

outstanding damages, accrued and continuing interest, and resulting court costs.

Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED on this 25th day of July 2023 that pursuant to

Local Rule 108.1, the Clerk is directed to enter judgment in the amount of \$176,209.23 plus

continuing interest, under the terms of the Promissory Note, in favor of Plaintiff Choice Hotels

Inc. against Defendants, and issue a notice advising Defendants that a judgment by confession has

been entered against them and that they have thirty (30) days within which to file a written motion

to open, modify, or vacate the judgment.

Date: July 25, 2023

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/s/ Ajmel A. Quereshi United States Magistrate Judge